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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager, Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, February 28, 1884. 372

NOTICE.

MR. FRANCISCO MAMEDE GONCALVES and Mr. AUGUSTO JOSE de ROZARIO have this Day been admitted PARTNERS in our Firm.

ROZARIO & Co., Hongkong, March 1, 1884. 383

Intimations.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

MR. HENRY ST. CLAIR GREELEY, who, for many years, has been associated with the Management of the OCCIDENTAL and THE BALDWIN HOTEL, San Francisco, has been appointed MANAGER of the above HOTEL, and the Services of Mrs. ATCHISON, who has occupied the position of MATRON in some of the principal Hotels in the Eastern States, have also been engaged.

By Order of the Board of Directors, LOUIS HAUSCHILD, Secretary, Hongkong, February 29, 1884. 380

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-Year ending 31st December last, at the Rate of Two Pounds STERLING per Share of \$125, and ONE POUND and FIVE SHILLINGS STERLING per NEW Share of \$25.75 paid up is PAYABLE on and after FRI-DAY, the 29th February current, at the OFFICES of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager, Hongkong, February 28, 1884. 371

ROBT. SIM & Co.'s PATENT ANTI-FOULING COMPOSITION as supplied to Her Majesty's Ships; The P. & O. S. N. Co.; The Douglas Steamship Company; The Japanese Government.

Sole Agent, China, Japan, and Manila, EDWARD GEORGE, Hongkong, January 31, 1884. 388

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has been instructed by THE "SANITAS" COMPANY, LIMITED, of London, with the exclusive SALE of their MANUFACTURES in HONGKONG, MACAO and CANTON, and begs to inform the Public that the said Company will not accept Indents from the above-named places unless received through the Undersigned.

E. F. de SOUZA, Hongkong, February 28, 1884. 385

Intimations.

WANTED—A STEWARD and a COOK on Board Ship. Must be STEADY MEN. References required.

Apply to TEMPERANCE HALL, Hongkong, March 20, 1884. 508

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Ordinary MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 29th March, 1884, at 12 o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1883.

The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 22nd to 29th Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board, J. BRADLEY SMITH, Secretary, Hongkong, March 13, 1884. 461

WILLIAM DOLAN, SAIL-MAKER, SHIP-CHANDLER, 22, PRAYA CENTRAL.

COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS, MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS, GORE JACKETS, &c., &c., &c., Hongkong, May 1, 1882. 256

FOR CANTON.

THE WELL-KNOWN GERMAN STEAMER "CHINA" will run between this and Canton as a NIGHT-BOAT, leaving Hongkong and CANTON, respectively, every other day at 5.30 p.m., beginning on SUNDAY, the 2nd of March. Special Conditions are granted to IAGO Shippers.

For Particulars, apply to

THE AGENTS : MESSRS. ARNOLD, KARBERG & Co., Canton;

Messrs. HING LEE & Co., Hongkong;

or to CAPTAIN on Board.

Hongkong, February 27, 1884. 360

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

THE FOURTH and FINAL CALL of £10 Sterling per Share on the 20,000 SHARES, NEW ISSUE of this CORPORATION, will fall on the 31st DECEMBER CURRENT, in London, Calcutta, Bombay, Shanghai and Hongkong.

REGISTERED SHAREHOLDERS entitled to NEW SHARES, are requested to PAY, at the respective OFFICES, the above Call or its equivalent in the CURRENCY of the above-named PORTS.

PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATES are being issued in Exchange for the First Call Receipts, which are to be surrendered to the Bank.

Holders of PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATES, when paying this Call, will please send same to this Office to be endorsed.

The Rate of Exchange for Hongkong is fixed at 3/4 S. & \$53.93 per Share.

INTEREST at the Rate of 7 % per Annum will be Charged on Calls unpaid on the 31st DECEMBER.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager, Hongkong, December 13, 1883. 1212

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

MR. THOMAS ARNOLD will act as SECRETARY of the above Company until further Notice.

E. R. BELLIOS, Chairman, Hongkong, February 26, 1884. 346

HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS, WYNDHAM STREET, HONGKONG.

THE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Port that he will RE-OPEN

THE HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS

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GENTLEMEN's directions of taking Meals, such as TIPS and DINNERS, can have ALL REQUISITE information by applying to

GEORGE STAINFIELD, Proprietor.

Hongkong, February 28, 1884. 368

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Plus un terrain sur la rive du canal servant de marché, longueur 80 YARDS, profondeur 5 YARDS—out à vendre.

S'adresser à Mr. THEVENIN.

Hongkong, March 12, 1884. 447

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24th September, 1883. 611

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Hongkong, March 13, 1884. 457

SAYLE & Co.

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LADIES', GIRLS' AND BOYS' WHITE AND COLOURED STRAW HATS.

SPECIALITIES IN FANCY STRIPE D

TENNIS FLANNELS.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, Hongkong, March 18, 1884. 487

Intimations.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS

are requested to send in a STATEMENT of BUSINESS Contributed during the Half-Year ended December 31st, 1883, or before March 31st next, on which date the Accounts will be Closed.

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By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, February 26, 1884. 357

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

QUARANTINE IN EUROPE.

PASSENGERS and SHIPPERS by the above Company's Steamers are informed that QUARANTINE ENFORCEMENTS have been relaxed. Males must be 24 hours, and all VENUS to 2 days, performed on board the Steamer at both ports.

QUARANTINE will probably be removed from all ports by the time Steamers now leaving CHINA will arrive in the MEDITERRANEAN.

PASSENGERS by the Company's Steamers have always the option of continuing the journey on to LONDON, on payment of the difference of fare.

A. MCIVER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, January 29, 1884. 169

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Hongkong, June 18, 1883. 1270

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Hongkong, December 1, 1883. 1043

Insurances.

NOTICE
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PANY.

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Risks on First Class Godowns at
per cent, not premium per annum.
NORTON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, May 19, 1884. 938

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-
PANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company, are
prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE
RISKS to all Parts of the World, at current
rates.
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, November 5, 1883. 855

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above
Company, are authorized to Insure
against FIRES at Current Rates.
GILMAN & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1884. 13

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COMPANY.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
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For further Particulars, regarding
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For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-
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Hongkong, January 4, 1884. 100

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Hongkong, July 25, 1872. 436

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Wicks.—Russell & Co.

RAPHAEL, American ship, Captain J. W.
Sherman.—Duglas Lapraik & Co.

Hongkong, March 11, 1884. 512

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

Stocks. Nos. of Shares. Paid up. Reserve. Working Account. Last Dividends. Quotations. Cash.

BANKS. HK, and Shal. 125,84,000,901 \$ 57,645,23 125%—\$2313

INDUSTRIES. Nth. China Ins. 5,000 \$ 200 £ 50 11,1300 p. sh.

Union Ins. Soc. 2,000 \$ 1,250 125 \$ 600,000 \$ 375,391.00 \$ 18.29 \$550 "

China Traders. Insurance. 24,000 \$ 83,335 50 \$ 600,000 \$ 107,411.50 27%—\$274

Oton Ins. Office. 10,000 \$ 250 50 \$ 506,127.77 10% \$100 "

China Fire Ins. 8,000 \$ 250 50 \$ 885,000 \$ 283,231.00 \$ 20.75 \$340

China Fire Ins. 20,000 \$ 100 20 \$ 316,978 \$ 106,300.45 \$63,600 \$64

STEAM SHIPS. HK, C. and M. 10,000 \$ 125 8 18,000 \$ 4,551.56 4% \$177

Indo-China S. 5,000 \$ 100 20 \$ 10,47,14.8 1,144,18.9 ... \$84 p. share

Hongkong Hotel. 2,000 \$ 100 20 \$ 2,906.66 \$3150

China Sugar Co. 9,000 \$ 100 100 \$ 6,029,704.7 \$104 "

Hongkong Ice Co. 1,250 \$ 100 100 \$ 24,250 \$ 543.83 \$10 for \$145

Hongkong Bakery. 600 \$ 50 50 \$ 6,000 \$ 636.32 \$10 p. sh. \$105

Luzon Sugar Co. 7,000 \$ 100 100 \$ 4,000.65 ... \$92 "

PERAK MINING & SMELTING
COMPANY. 3,000 \$ 50 all ... First year ... \$215 "

Selangor Tin Mining Co. 2,500 \$ 100 all ... do ... \$525 "

Shanghai. 1,881 8,565 \$10 100 all ... do ... par.

LOANS. Chi. Imp. 1874 6,276 \$ 100 all 8% June 30 Dec 31

" 1875 16,040 \$ 100 all 8% Feb 28 Apr 31

" 1878 3,800 \$10 500 all 8% Apr 1 Oct 1

" 1881 8,565 \$10 100 all 8% Jel 16 Dec 10

Sugar Debitors. 1,880 \$ 600 \$ 500 all 8% June & Dec. 2% prem.

* For 6 months to 30th June.—Dividend for 1882 and Bonus of 25 per cent.—To 30th April 1883.—For year 1882.—|| For half year ended 31st Dec., 1882.—\$ For 1883.

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